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Eighty Fifth Annual Imperial Council Session

July 6th to July 10th 1959

Atlantic City, New Jersey

"A man never stands so straight
as when he stoops to help a crippled child."

Harry Waha
General Crippled Children's Chairman

Ray Miller
Local Crippled Children's Chairman

Potentate's Message

Herbert E. Payne, Jr.
Illustrious Potentate

Hi Nobles and Ladies:

Betty and I are sure happy to have you with us for the 85th Imperial Council Session on the Boardwalk at Atlantic City, where the cross section of our great fraternity will have the opportunity of getting better acquainted.

Those who have planned this caravan have at all times kept you nobles and your ladies in mind in arranging transportation, hotel accomodations and various affairs to entertain you, so that we can all have a good time.

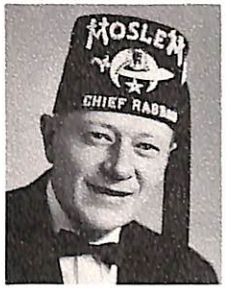
Please do not get disturbed over some detail that may not suit your liking, just let us know what it is and we will certainly do our best to satisfy you, if possible. We have the largest out of town delegation at this affair and it is a real problem to please every one.

Allah is great and so is our fine Temple, please watch your actions so that there won't be any reflections. other than the best, as everybody meets everybody on the Boardwalk.

To those of you continuing on to Bermuda you are in for a real treat. May you all have a grand time and have a safe trip. It sure is great to be a Shriner.

Yours in the Faith
Herb Payne, Jr.
Illustrious Potentate

Moslem's Offical Divan 1959



J. Murray Brown
Chief Rabban

Harvey E. Mack
Assistant Rabban

Frank A. Bostrom
High Priest & Prophet

S. Harold Edlund
Oriental Guide

T. Allan Smith
Treasurer

Tunis E. Stinson
Recorder

Imperial Divan 1958-1959

Charles E. Merrill
Imperial Marshal

George E. Stringfellow, Imperial Potentate
Crescent ..... East Orange, New Jersey
Clayton F. Andrews, M.D., Deputy Imperial Potentate
Sesostris ..... Lincoln, Nebraska
George A. Mattison, Jr., Imperial Chief Rabban
Zamora ..... Birmingham, Alabama
Marshall M. Porter, Imperial Assistant Rabban
Al Azhar ..... Calgary, Alberta, Canada
George M. Klepper, Imperial High Priest & Prophet
Al Chymia ..... Memphis, Tennessee
Harold C. Close, Imperial Oriental Guide
Sphinx ..... Waterville, Connecticut
Leonard P. Steuart, Imperial Treasurer
Almas ..... Washington, D. C.
George M. Saunders, Imperial Recorder
Ararat ..... Chicago, Illinois
O. Carlyle Brock, Imperial First Ceremonial Master
Zem Zem ..... Erie, Penn.
Barney W. Collins, Imperial Second Ceremonial Master
Anezeh ..... Mexico City, Mexico
Charles E. Merrill, Imperial Marshal
Moslem ..... Detroit, Michigan
Orville F. Rush, Imperial Captain of the Guard
Kena ..... Washington, D. C.
Thomas F. Seay, Imperial Outer Guard
Medinah ..... Chicago, Illinois
Daniel A. Poling, Imperial Chaplain
Crescent ..... New York, N. Y.

Moslem's Imperial Representatives

Charles E. Merrill, P.P.
Herbert E. Payne, Jr., Potentate
J. Murray Brown, Chief Rabban
Carl L. Johnson, P.P.
Marvin G. Lane, P.P.
Thomas D. Van Dine, P.P.

Reverend Edgar A. Lucas
Chaplain

Rector — St. Phillips Episcopal Church
Rochester, Michigan

"Almighty Father, we come to Thee in prayer that Thou will bless the Imperial Council in Convention, with wisdom and knowledge, that the noble traditions and high ideals of our beloved Order be maintained. Bless also our Potentate, Divan and Nobles of Moslem Temple who will attend the sessions, and grant that our presence may spread the spirit of fellowship and goodwill among all men and Masons." And teach us to remember

Christ has no hands but our hands
To do His work today;
He has no feet but our feet
To lead men in His way;
He has no tongues but our tongues
To tell men how He died;
He has no help but our help
To bring them to His side.

Amen

Alex Acey

Entertainment Chairman and
General Chairman of all Committees

Potentate Aides

Cliff Bell

Elmer Clark

Jim Hodgson

Ward Schultz

W. J. Slavin

Harold Spink

Mel Theut

Harry Waha

Chet Cox
Convention Chairman

Joe Ross
Housing Chairman

Al Crosby
Co-Chairman

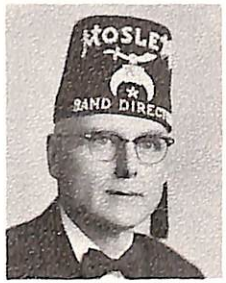
Orville K. Rodewald
Transportation Chairman

O. J. Steinhardt
Co-Chairman

Convention Committee

Joe Bader, Baggage Chairman
Glen Chittick, Provost Marshal
Fred Morrison, Banquet Chairman
Paul Johns, Banquet Co-Chairman
J. Earl Lough, Programming
Dr. Leslie Henderson, Medical Corps
Dr. Donald J. Kennedy, Medical Corps
Charlie Morris, Shrine Service Room
Alex MacDonald, Special Bus
Clare Wass, Reception Chairman

Moslem Uniformed Units



Kenneth W. Humbert, Director
BRASS BAND

Henry A. Melloche, Director
CHANTERS

William H. Polkinghorn,
Director
MOTOR CORPS

Rex Thuston, Director
ORIENTAL BAND

Joseph D. Bader,
Captain General
PATROL

F. Raymond Dasher, Director
STUNT CORPS

Glen Chittick
Provost Marshal

Mel Theut
Parade Marshal

Parade Information

The Night Parade will run the entire length of the Boardwalk. The Reviewing Stand will be on the Boardwalk in front of the Coliseum. The Parade will not enter the Coliseum. Reserved seats available all along the Boardwalk. They are priced from $1.00 to $5.00. Purchase of reserved seats is not recommended because our Hotel offers a fine vantage point to view the parade.

Special Information

Gratuites

Coupons for the various activities and services include the tip for these services but do not include tips for additional services you may order.

Club Oasis

The Oasis will be open from 10:00 a.m. Sunday, the 5th, until departure time. This room is specially set aside for Moslem. It will have a complete set up where food and beverages will be sold below cost to Moslem. We will have variety Entertainment in the Oasis. There will be the Moslem Combo led by Charles Slusher with Emerson "Bud" Davis, Max Kriseman, Bill Hielscher and Milton Vine. From time to time we will also have Bill Fox entertaining.

Breakfast Coupons

Breakfast every morning during your stay at the Ritz-Carlton. Buffet breakfast in the Ocean Terrace only 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Breakfast coupons will be honored before 9:00 a.m. and after 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in any dining area as long as breakfasts are being served. Note: Unit members breakfast at 7 a.m. on Tuesday.

Time in Atlantic City

At this time of the year Atlantic City is on Eastern Daylight Time, therefore time is one hour later than Detroit.

Special Information

Special Coupon at Hackney's

Coupon No. 2 is for dinner at Hackney's. It is redeemable any time. The value is $3.00 — difference over this amount will be charged for. SPECIAL NOTE: (Tax and tips not included in this coupon.)

Special Rooms

Special Ladies Sewing and Pressing do it yourself room on 3rd floor.

The Shrine Service Room will be located in the Oasis.

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Atlantic City, New Jersey

Friday, July 3rd, 1959

Plane passengers only may take one large suitcase or steamer trunk to the Shrine Club before 6 p.m. This will be in your room at the Ritz-Carlton on your arrival. Tags will be included with the Coupon Package.

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Sunday, July 5th, 1959

Leave Detroit, Michigan, by special chartered DC 6's from Willow Run Airport, arriving at Army Airport, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Flight No. 1, The Early Bird leaves at 7 a.m., arrives at 9:30 a.m.

Flight No. 2, The Potentate's Special leaves at 1:15 p.m., arrives at 3:45 p.m.

Flight No. 3, The Owl leaves at 7:20 p.m. arrives at 9:50 p.m.

(All above times are Detroit time)

For those traveling by bus, a special bus will leave Moslem Temple at 9:30 a.m., stop over night at Penn Sheraton in Pittsburgh and arrive at Atlantic City at approximately 4 p.m. Monday, July 6th.

Buses will meet planes to transport us to the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. Pick up your keys at special desk in hotel lobby on arrival. Oasis will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. with special values in both food and drink for new arrivals. Choice food and premium liquors sold at below Moslem's cost. Entertainment and dancing.

Baggage will be limited to 40 lbs. per person for those traveling by air to Atlantic City.

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Monday, July 6th, 1959

Flight No. 4, The Brass Band leaves at 7 a.m., arrives at 9:30 a.m.

Flight No. 5, The Hangovers leaves at 1:15 p.m., arrives at 3:45 p.m.

Breakfast by coupon on the Ocean Terrace overlooking the Boardwalk and out over the Atlantic Ocean from 8:00 a.m.

The Potentate's Formal Dinner Dance in the Ritz Hall on the Boardwalk of the Ritz-Carlton. All tables reserved. Get your party together and make your reservation through Noble Joe Ross and no one else. The reservation made for the Potentate's Dinner Dance will be in effect for the After-Glow on Thursday — Tables of ten (10). Music by Fred Mittman and his Orchestra. Cocktails in the Oasis at 7:00 p.m.

Dinner at 8:00 p.m. Extra reservations available at $16.00 per person. On sale in the Oasis.

Potentate's Dinner Dance Menu

Fruit Cup *Assorted Relishes*
Shrimp Cocktail
12 oz. Broiled Tenderloin Steak
Served with Sparkling Burgundy Great Western
Grilled Tomato, Stuffed Baked Potato
Caesar Salad or Hearts of Lettuce
Roquefort Dressing
Baked Alaska
Coffee, Tea or Milk

Itinerary

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Tuesday, July 7th, 1959

Breakfast early . . . the usual elaborate breakfast on the Ocean Terrace overlooking the Boardwalk. Units should check the Bulletin Board so that they will be on the parade assembly line on time.

Cocktails in the Oasis.

On your own for dinner.

Wednesday, July 8th, 1959

Breakfast by coupon on the beautiful Ocean Terrace from 8:00 a.m.

Special ladies luncheon at 1:00 p.m. in the beautiful Crystal Dining Room with the pink linen and pink champagne, and beautiful floral decorations.

Ladies Luncheon Menu

Half Grapefruit or Vegetable Soup
Filet Mignon Toreador with Mushrooms
French Peas, Asparagus Tips, Berny Potatoes
Caesar Salad
Afternoon Rolls
Rainbow Parfait
Coffee

Ladies Committee

Mrs. Eva Richards, Chairman
Mrs. Ray Dasher, Co-Chairman

Evening on your own . . . an opportunity to relax in the wonderful Oasis room and take advantage of the choice food and premium liquors sold below Moslem's cost. Entertainment and dancing.

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Thursday, July 9th, 1959

Breakfast by coupon as usual on the Ocean Terrace. Extra values in the Oasis during the day.

All Units should check the bulletin board so that they will be on the parade assembly line on time. See other parade information on page 8. There will be a limited number of tickets available for the night parade and they must be picked up on arrival.

Cocktails in the Oasis at 10:00 p.m.

Super-duper after-glow in the Ritz Hall with an outstanding buffet dinner at 11:00 p.m. Dancing and special entertainment at the after-glow.

Friday, July 10th, 1959

Breakfast by coupon as usual on the beautiful Ocean Terrace.

Departure for Detroit or Bermuda by special planes. Check your tickets for your flight departure time. Persons continuing on to Bermuda may return one suitcase per person. Watch bulletin board for instructions on procedure to follow.

Moslem Temple Pilgrimages

Since 1914

1914	*RUSSELL G. PIERCE	Atlanta, Georgia
1915	*SID W. MILLARD	Seattle, Washington
1916	*ARTHUR FISHER	Buffalo, New York
1917	*WILLIAM B. WOOD	Minneapolis, Minnesota
1918	*JAMES A. BALLARD	Atlantic City, N. J.
1919	*MARK A. GARDNER	Indianapolis, Indiana
1920	*WILLIAM J. MURRAY	Portland, Oregon
1921	*A. E. D. ALLAN	Des Moines, Iowa
1922	*JAMES H. GARLICK	San Francisco, California
1923	*FRANK T. LODGE	Washington, D. C.
1924x	*CLAUDE W. MOORE	Kansas City, Missouri
1925	*CLYDE I. WEBSTER, P.I.P.	Los Angeles, California
1926x	*ALBERT E. HAMILTON	Philadelphia, Pa.
1927	*WILLIAM CURTISS	Atlantic City, N. J.
1928	TUNIS E. STINSON	Miami, Florida
1929	ERNEST O. KNIGHT	Los Angeles, Calif.
1930	CHARLES E. SWALES	Toronto, Canada
1931	*JAMES DICKSON, JR.	Cleveland, Ohio
1932x	*GUY W. MOORE	San Francisco, Calif.
1933x	*RICHARD READING	Atlantic City, N. J.
1934	*ARTHUR E. GORDON	Minneapolis, Minn.
1935	LYLE C. LING	Washington, D. C.
1936	DeWITT H. MERRIAM	Seattle, Washington
1937	*RICHARD E. MOORE	Detroit, Michigan
1938	FRANK H. TOUT	Los Angeles, Calif.
1939	SIDNEY M. HARVEY	Baltimore, Maryland
1940	THOMAS D. VAN DINE	Memphis, Tennessee
1941	EDWARD J. SAVAGE	Indianapolis, Indiana
1942x	*WILLIAM E. FRACKELTON	Chicago, Illinois
1943x	*WILLIAM CARLSON	Chicago, Illinois
1944x	MILTON C. SMITH	Milwaukee, Wisconsin
1945x	*ROBERT V. JOHNSTON	Chicago, Illinois
1946x	C. DALE CURTISS	San Francisco, Calif.
1947	T. MEL RINEHART	Atlantic City, N. J.
1948	HARRY A. McDONALD	Atlantic City, N. J.
1949	VAUGHAN REID	Chicago, Illinois
1950	*EUGENE D. WILLIAMSON	Los Angeles, Calif.
1951	THOMAS D. LEADBETTER	New York, New York
1952	GEORGE M. INGRAM	Miami, Florida
1953	WALTER W. FULLER	New York, New York
1954	CHARLES E. MERRILL	Atlantic City, N. J.
1955	MARVIN G. LANE	Chicago, Illinois
1956	JOSEPH C. DAVIDSON	Detroit, Michigan
1957	CHARLES I. WILSON	Minneapolis, Minnesota
1958	CARL L. JOHNSON	Chicago, Illinois

(Note: The stars indicate deceased past potentates, and the x's indicate the units were not taken to the convention, because of depression, war, or other causes.)

Notes:

The Fez

Courtesies and Etiquette

At all official Shrine functions Nobles wearing the Fez are deemed to be in uniform, and should render salutes and honors in the accredited military fashion.

The **Right hand military salute** is given by Nobles wearing the Fez: to the Colors when presented, or passing on parade; (If the colors pass and repass the same area the salute is given only once); to the playing or singing of the National Anthem, executing the salute on the first note, and holding until final note is sounded. (Please note The National Anthem is the STAR SPANGLED BANNER and is the only song in America entitled to the salute.)

At prayer, invocations, Benedictions, etc. The Fez is removed by right hand and held over left breast. Inside Churches the Fez is never worn except in an offical formation as escort.

The Pledge of Allegiance Nobles wearing the Fez execute the right hand military salute from beginning to end. All salutes are executed without command, but should be done smartly and in unison.

THE FEZ SHOULD NEVER be placed on a table when and where food is being served, it is not only bad taste, but the thought of hair on food is nauseating to most people.

NOBLES UNCOVERED

For the Pledge of Allegiance, place the right hand over the heart. For the National Anthem stand at attention. If covered (civilian) remove hat and hold over heart.

THE FLAG DISPLAYED

Must be on a staff, **never draped** and placed at the Flag's own right. If at a banquet to the right of the speaker. Only in church does the flag take position on the left, i.e. inside the Chancel. If outside the Chancel, the Flag takes its position on its own right.

Authority, Public Law 829, Chap. 806, second session of Joint Resolutions of both houses of the 77th Congress.

The Pledge of Allegiance, by Imperial Council Order with the approval of the State Department, because Shriners come from every country in the world, amended the Pledge to read as follows: I pledge allegiance to my Flag, and to the country for which it stands. One nation under God indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Ritz Carlton Hotel

Your Headquarters in Atlantic City